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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Filed: June 23, 2003	:	Examiner: not yet assigned
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE USING AN SOI SUBSTRATE	:	

**STATUS INQUIRY**


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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A Divisional Application was filed in the referenced application on June 23, 2003. Since more than six months have elapsed since that date, and no response to said Divisional Application has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR FILING RECEIPT

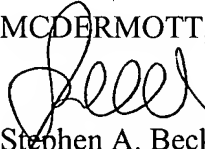
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Sir:

The above-referenced patent application was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 23, 2003, as evidenced by the attached copies of the return receipt postcard and Transmittal Letter. To date, the undersigned has not received an official Filing Receipt regarding this application. It is respectfully requested that the undersigned be furnished with an official Filing Receipt as soon as possible.

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Applicant: Hideaki HIDAKA, et al

Docket No. 57454-946

Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE USING AN SOI SUBSTRATE

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☒ Transmittal Letter

New Patent App ☐ Utility ☐ Design ☐ Cont. ☐ CIP ☒ Div. ☐ PCT ☐ CPA ☐ RCE ☐ Prov

☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☒ Letter submitting 28 pages of drawings

43 pages of Specification

13 pages of Claims

1 pages of Abstract

28 pages of Formal/Informal Drawings

☐ Small Entity ☐ Large Entity

☒ Declaration/Power of Attorney

☐ Recordation of Assignment/Security Agreement

☒ Information Disclosure Statement

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☒ Preliminary Amendment

☐ Response to Missing Parts Notice

☐ Resp. to Notice to Correct App. Papers

☐ Certified Copy of Priority Doc.

☐ Claim for Convention Priority

☐ Response/Amendment to Office Action of \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Request for \_\_\_\_\_ month Extension of Time

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☐ Letter for Approval of Drawing Amendments  
☐ Req. for Oral Hearing  
☐ Not. of Appeal ☐ Appeal Brief ☐ Reply Brief  
☐ Rule 312 Amendment/Letter  
☐ Req. for Acknowledgement of Cited Art  
☐ Issue Fee  
☐ Publication Fee  
☐ Req. for Certificate of Correction  
☐ Maintenance Fee for \_\_\_\_\_ years after grant  
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**REQUEST FORM FOR  
APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

DOCKET NUMBER: 57454-946

Prior Application:

Art Unit: 2814

Examiner: Cao

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Sir:

This is a Request for filing a **Divisional** application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior application

Serial No. 09/370,220, filed on **August 9, 1999**, entitled **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE USING AN SOI**

**SUBSTRATE**, by the following named inventors: Hideto HIDAKA, Katsuhiko SUMA and Takahiro TSURUDA.

1. ☒ I hereby state that the enclosed application contains no new matter.
2. Oath or Declaration
  - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
    - i. ☐ Deletion of inventor(s)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
3. ☒ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 2b is checked)  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 2b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
4. ☒ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
5. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO1449 Form are submitted herewith.
6. ☒ Cancel claims 1-18 and 23-27.



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7. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 4 and 6 above:

	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	4	-20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	-3	0	\$84.00 =	\$0.00
Basic Application Fee					\$750.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$0.00					\$0.00
Total Application Fee					\$750.00
Subtract ½ if small entity					\$0.00
<b>TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE</b>					<b>\$750.00</b>
AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 500417					

- 7a. ☐ Enclosed is a Verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- 7b. ☐ A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 was filed in prior application and such status is still proper and desired.
- 8a. ☒ **PLEASE CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 500417 in the amount of \$750.00**
- 8b. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any extension of time fees to maintain the pendency of the parent application Serial No. 09/370,220 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.
9. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
  
 --This application is a **divisional** of Application Serial No. 09/370,220 filed August 9, 1999 which is a **divisional** of Application Serial No. 08/977,030 filed November 25, 1997 now U.S. Patent No. 5,982,005 which is a **continuation** of 08/596,798 filed February 5, 1996, now abandoned.--
10. ☒ Priority of Application Serial No. 7-29732 filed on February 17, 1995, in Japan is claimed under 35 USC 119. The certified priority document was filed in Serial No. 08/596,798 on April 15, 1996.
11. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to  
  
**MITSUBISHI DENKI KABUSHIKI KAISHA**  
 Tokyo, JAPAN
12. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:  
  
 McDermott, Will & Emery, formerly Lowe Price LeBlanc & Becker
13. ☒ Also enclosed:  
  
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 Letter Submitting 28 Sheets of Formal Drawings

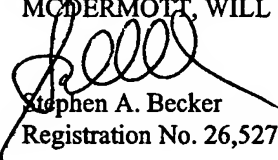
14: ☐ A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending prior application until .

Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record)

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